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# Minidoka County Economic Overview

12,379 Civilian Labor Force (Mar 2022) **Unemployment Rate (Mar 2022)** 2.4% Population (2020) 21,955 Median Household Income (2019) \$53,011 \$46,743 Per Capita Personal Income (2020) Poverty Rate (2019) 16.2%

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## 1. County Demographic Characteristics, 2019

	Minidoka County	Minidoka County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
Total Population	20,817	100.0%	3,508,734	326,569,308
Race and Ethnicity				
White alone, not hispanic	12,856	61.8%	81.4%	60.1%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	29	0.1%	0.6%	12.2%
Native American alone, not hispanic	172	0.8%	1.1%	0.6%
Asian alone, not hispanic	79	0.4%	1.3%	5.6%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	7,331	35.2%	12.7%	18.2%
Gender				
Male	10,424	50.1%	50.1%	49.2%
Female	10,393	49.9%	49.9%	50.8%
Age				
Median age	35.2	-	40.5	38.2
Under 18 years	5,969	28.7%	25.3%	22.4%
Over 18 years	14,848	71.3%	74.7%	77.6%
21 years and over	14,032	67.4%	70.6%	73.5%
Over 65 years	3,302	15.9%	15.8%	16.0%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and 0	Over)			
Less than 9th grade	1,621	7.8%	2.0%	3.3%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	4,075	19.6%	17.4%	18.2%
Some college, no degree	3,005	14.4%	17.0%	13.9%
Associate's degree	1,277	6.1%	6.4%	5.9%
Bachelor's degree	1,122	5.4%	12.6%	13.8%
Graduate or professional degree	679	3.3%	6.1%	8.7%
Median Household Income	\$53,011	-	\$59,084	\$64,994

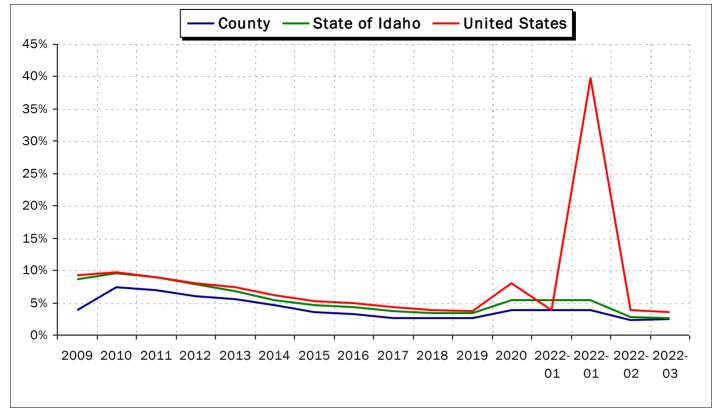
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates

## 2. Labor Force

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	<b>Unemployment Rate</b>
March 2022	12,379	12,077	302	2.4%
March 2021	11,817	11,422	395	3.3%

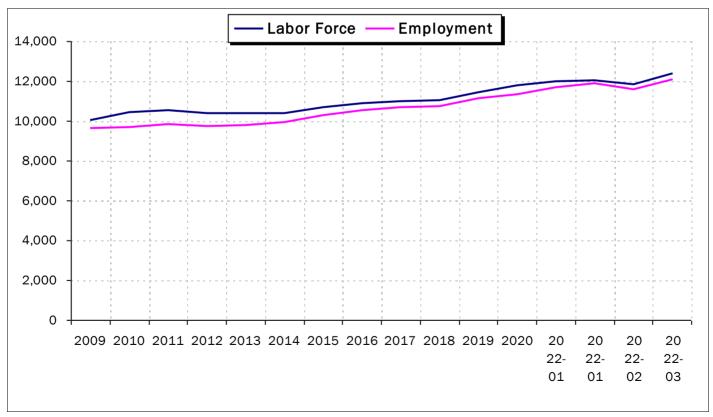
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### 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

## 4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

# 5. Industry Employment and Wages - 2010, 2019 and 2020

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Supersector	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	6,418	\$29,927	8,212	\$8,215	8,383	\$42,571
Natural Resources and Mining	1,156	\$27,923	1,468	\$1,489	1,504	\$42,635
Construction	341	\$29,433	387	\$438	496	\$49,582
Manufacturing	925	\$49,521	1,339	\$1,350	1,294	\$53,390
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,432	\$31,806	1,755	\$1,791	1,750	\$46,287
Information	109	\$31,979	197	\$193	211	\$44,005
Financial Activities	139	\$29,484	125	\$123	129	\$45,248
Professional and Business Services	129	\$24,985	201	\$206	213	\$33,920
Education and Health Services	1,084	\$25,990	1,482	\$1,512	1,622	\$38,567
Leisure and Hospitality	506	\$11,321	562	\$439	476	\$17,911
Other Services	155	\$20,134	258	\$238	265	\$35,153
Public Administration	435	\$24,256	431	\$429	416	\$36,839

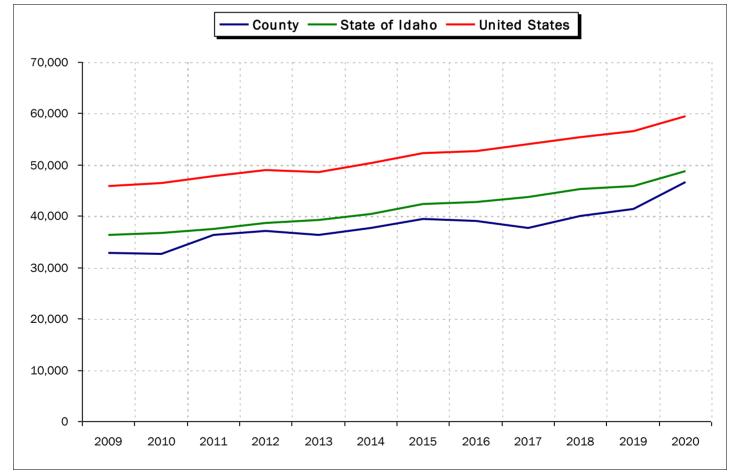
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## 6. Top Employers, 2020

Employer	Ownership	Range
Minidoka County Joint School District	Local Gov	500 - 999
Amalgamated Sugar Company	Private	500 - 999
Progressive Behavior Systems	Private	250 - 499
Minidoka Memorial County Hospital	Local Gov	250 - 499
Loves Travel Stops And Country Store	Private	100 - 249
Minidoka County	Private	100 - 249
City Of Rupert	Private	100 - 249
Best Western/perkins-burley	Local Gov	100 - 249
The Sprinkler Shop Inc	Local Gov	100 - 249
Kloepfer Inc	Private	100 - 249

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor

### 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2009 - 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

### 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2019

It is estimated that 3,856 workers lived and worked in Minidoka County in 2019. Another 3,961 workers were employed in Minidoka County but lived outside, while 5,747 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

## 9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Minidoka County Live, 2019

City of Residence	All Jobs	Percentage
Rupert	1,170	15.0%
Burley	880	11.3%
Heyburn	478	6.1%
Twin Falls	329	4.2%
Paul	185	2.4%
Boise City	126	1.6%
Idaho Falls	100	1.3%
Pocatello	96	1.2%
Jerome	64	0.8%
Nampa	56	0.7%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

#### 10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Minidoka County Work, 2019

City of Employment	All Jobs	Percentage
Burley	1,711	17.8%
Rupert	1,237	12.9%
Twin Falls	660	6.9%
Heyburn	430	4.5%
Boise City	401	4.2%
Paul	246	2.6%
Acequia	134	1.4%
Pocatello	110	1.1%
Jerome	97	1.0%
Meridian	97	1.0%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

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